Provider Updates

- <u>Outreach and Enrollment</u> We are slowly outreaching new families from the priority groups for CCDF child care. There are other opportunities for enrollment such as Essential Worker and Service Industry Recovery childcare, for families that qualify.
- <u>Reporting Absences</u> All providers are asked to report each time that a child has 5 consecutive absences. Please connect with parents and encourage regular attendance.
- <u>Child Care Relief Funding</u>- The deadline to utilize funds has been extended, however applications are no longer being accepted. If you need help or have questions, please email <u>Texas@ECEBizCoach.org</u>
- <u>2022 Calendars</u> We are currently in the processes of collecting 2022 calendars from each provider. The process is slightly different this year. If you have any questions or need anything, please email <u>ccsproviderservices@wfscapitalarea.com</u>.





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Childcare for Service Industry Recovery

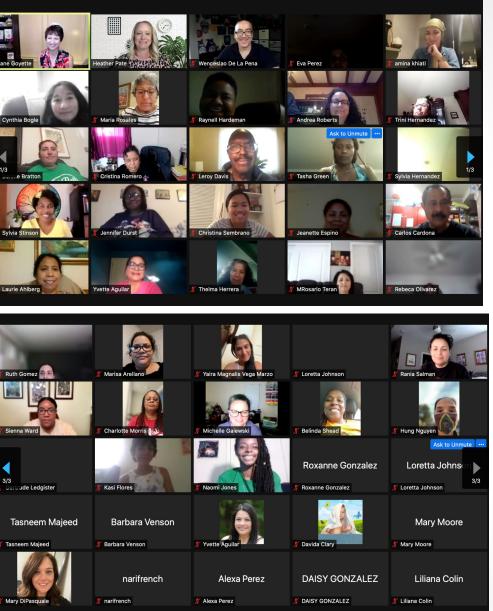
- TWC recently approved funding to provide 12 months of childcare for Service Industry Recovery in the following categories:
 - <u>Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation</u> (such as actors, amusement and recreation attendants, fitness trainers, musicians and singers, etc.)
 - <u>Accommodation and Food Service</u> (such as hotel, motel, and resort desk clerks, waiters and waitresses, food preparation, chefs, etc.)
 - <u>Retail Trade</u> (such as cashiers, customer service representative, retail sales workers, stock clerks, etc.)
- Families must live in Travis County, meet the income guidelines, and have at at least one parent working in a category above. If families live outside of Travis, they may be eligible for services at WFS Rural Capital Area.
- The application and flyer for this program will be available soon!

Maximum Gross (Pre-Tax) Income to Participate								
Household Size	Yearly Income							
2	\$43,549							
3	\$53,796							
4	\$64,043							
5	\$74,290							
6	\$84,537							
7	\$86,458							
8	\$88,380							

Quality Initiatives

- Training Opportunities Posted
 - 2020-21 Training Calendar posted on our Website (<u>www.wfscapitalarea.com</u>)
- Texas Rising Star Providers
 - Please join us at our monthly TRS Director Meetings on the first Thursday of the month from 12-2pm or 6-8pm.
 - Our next TRS Director Meetings will be on September 2nd
 - Category Trainings are being offered quarterly.
- Parent Training Series
 - Will be held August 25th September 15th
 - Sessions will be held during lunch and at night to try and accommodate as many parents as possible.
 - Please share the link with any of your families and encourage them to sign up via Eventbrite.



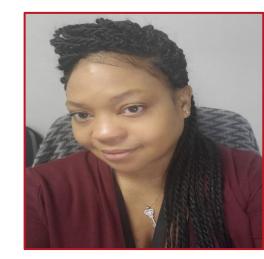


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BakerRipley Leadership Team



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Carmella Green Information and Resource Supervisor



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Naima Williams Intake & Eligibility Supervisor



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<u>Finance Team</u> - questions about payments, missing dates, full time/blended amounts, etc.	ccsfinance@wfscapitalarea.com
Provider Services - updated your DOSS, attendance, holidays, etc.	ccsproviderservices@wfscapitalarea.com
<u>Quality Initiatives</u> - want to become a TRS provider, have questions about the process, PPR distribution, training, etc.	<u>ccsquality@wfscapitalarea.com</u>
Local Referral Partners – send in referral, become a referral partner, etc.	ccslocalreferral@wfscapitalarea.com

